

REMARKS

The consideration and decision on priority are noted.

Restriction has been required under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Invention I defined by claims 1-8, 10-12, and Invention II defined by claim 9.

Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute in this application the Invention I, and cancel the claim 9 directed to Invention II.

Applicants also cancel rejected claims 10-12 without prejudice.

Allowance of claims 1-8 is noted with appreciation.

Favorable consideration and early Notice of Allowance are solicited.

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